

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

NICKOLE LOPEZ,

Plaintiff,

V.

MICHAEL ASTRUE, Commissioner of
Social Security,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C08-5724JKA

ORDER GRANTING
PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION TO
PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* is **GRANTED**. Plaintiff does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$350.00 filing fee.

The clerk is directed to issue summonses submitted by plaintiff to enable plaintiff to properly serve copies of the complaint on the appropriate parties. Plaintiff shall note that it is her responsibility to properly serve copies of the complaint along with appropriate summons as required by Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

DATED this 12th day of December, 2008.

/s/ *J. Kelley Arnold*
J. Kelley Arnold
U.S. Magistrate Judge